A JOURNAL OF COMMERCE

The Petersburg Chamber Endorses the New Paper.

PEOPLE FORGET BABIES

A Child Left by its Parents at Ferndale Park, and a Mother Forgets Her Infant on a James River Boat. Blg Crowd at the Casino.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, VA., August 11.—The Board of Governors of the Petersburg Chamber of Commerce elected twenty new members this afternoon. They re ferred the matter of Pullman tickets in Petersburg, telephones in the various passenger and freight offices and other proper committees. The board endorsed rnal in this city to further the work

a proposition to publish a commercial journal in this city to further the work of the Chamber in advancing the general business interests of Petersburg if a canvass of the business men shows that the patronage will justify the publication, and requested the Committee on New Enterprises to assist the publisher in securing subscriptions and advertisements. This will be the only commercial journal published in Southside Virginia, and with the endorsement and co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce will doubtless secure a circulation among all the business men in this section.

FORGET THE BABIES.

Two recent incidents show that there are at least two absent-minded mothers and one absent-minded father in the Cockade City. A mother and father Eunday afternoon went to Fernale Park with their little child. In the rush for cars they forgot about the little one and got aboard without it. Soon after the parents left the liftle tot made its presence known by its own voice, and a sympathetic father, less absent-minded, took charge of the babe. On their arrival in the city the parents remembered that they had left their child at the park and the father returned on the next car and brought the one-time orphan to the city.

A fond mother, a few days ago, left Petersburg with her two little children to endoy with them the breezes at a country home on the James. Without incident the little family, aboard the James River steamer, arrived at their destination near Brandon. The little child was sleeping on a temporary cot when the wharf was

rily at what she thought was a great joke.

Mr. W. E. Rives.
Mr. W. E. Rives. who died at his cottage at Virginia Beach at 8 o'clock this morning after an illness of only two days, was well known in Petersburg, where he formerly lived. Mr. Rives was a young man of sterling Christian charaster. He was bookkeeper at the bank in this city prior to his going to Norfolk several years ago to accept a position in a large wholesafe grocery and commission business in that city. Mr. Rives had been with the corporation ever since leaving Petersburg, and had acquired an interest in the business, and at the beginning of this year was elected secretary and treasurer of the company. He had not been in good health for several urday night. He leaves a widow and two little girls. Mrs. Rives was Miss Myrtic Harrison, of this city, prior to her mar-

riage.

A RUNAWAY.

The fine pair of horses owned by Mr. G. A. Fitzz, of this city ran away to a buggy on Sycamore Street this afternoon. The team shied just as they were crossing Washington Street, and dashed into one of the rallroad gates. One horse went on one side and one on the other, and the force with which they struck caused them to break' from their harness and each horse was thrown to the street, but neither was injured.

Petersburg Company Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias have received a request from the Norfolk company to be allowed to join them in their encampment at Ocean Velw. The request will be granted, and the two companies anticipate a good time at the beach.

Rev. L. T. Christman, general manager and secretary of the Southern Industrial, Missionary and Institute Company, of Racigh, N. C., is in Petersburg in the interest of his company and its work. Ho

Missionary and Institute Company, of Racigh, N. C., is in Petersburg in the interest of his company and its work. He delivered an address at Zion Baptist Church, colored, to-night. The company, which has for its object the improvement of the colored people, has been highly endorsed by prominent officials and business men of North Carolina.

Big CROWD.

The crowd at the Casino last night was the largest of the season. The Cummings Stock Company has made many friends in Petersburg. Miss Sadie Hart, who appeared between the acts in vandeville last evening, scored quite a hit. She will be with the company during the week.

Captain A. J. Nichols, of Prince George county, who has been confined to the house for the past two mouths with typhoid malarial fever is now able to be out.

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Miss Catherine Tlobble of Omaha,
Neb., who has been the guest of Mrs. R.
L. Gamble, in this city, has returned

Miss Mary Ruffin is visting friends in

Mrs. W. E. Badger has returned after | Ester a pleasant visit to Virginia Beach.

Mr. L. M. Moore left this morning for

Mr. L. M. Moore left this morning for Buffalo Lithia Springs. Mr. F. C. Smith, of the Philadelphia Dyening Telegram, is in the city. Misses Edith Burke and Bertha Grace, of this city, are visiting friends in Pled-mont, W. Ve.

Miss May Anna, will leave to-morrow on a visit to Bedford City.

Miss Ethel Frances, who has been spending the past three weeks in Ports-mouth, has returned, accompanied by her friend, Miss Rose Lyons, of that city.

WINCHESTER TO OBEY

(Spacial to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER. VA. Aug. 11.—The
City Democratic Executive Committee has
taken steps to rectify any error that has
been made in arranging for the primaries
to be held next Saturday, and last night
held a special meeting, at which it was
nanimously decided to conform with the
ruling of the State Committee. The chairman was instructed to confor with the
chairman of Frederick and Shenandoah
county committees and do what is necessary in the matter.

It is understood that there is a grow-

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given up hope, or where they had been lapped to drain off the accumulated water do drain off the accumulated water do drain off the accumulated water death of the second drain off the accumulated water death of the second drain of the black, swellen less or addenen, discharges from the rethrighten or difficulty in passing water, also a frequent desire or even involuntary discharge of the urine, catarry of the bladder, stone in the bladder, disagreeable odor of the urine, scanty and high-colored; rheumatism, with aches and pains in bones and back. Death may frequently follow these symptome.

For any of these symptoms, for any of these symptoms take Stunrt's Gin and Buchu, and you will be restored to health, and your kidneys and bladder perfectly cured. Stuart's Gin and Buchu sweetens the urine, cleanses the bladder, removes all obstructions from the kidneys and urethra, makes the blood pure. The highest grade kidney remedy made. Thoroughly tested for past 20 years in hospitals and pat 15 SAM. PLE BOILT we can be created a second control of the second desired from the state of creater. Fixed the source made. FREE, by writing some of the second desired from the state of creater, giving some of the second desired from the state of the second second desired. Sam PLE BOILT we care made. FREE, by writing some of the second second desired from the second secon

ing sentiment among the county committee to take action, and it is believed that Shenandoah will fall into line. The foint committee meeting will be held, and it is thought that the nomination for State Senator will be postponed sixty days at a viva voce convention.

The other nominations will proceed at the primaries next Saturday.

WEST POINT TO HAVE FIRE PROTECTION

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WEST POINT, VA., August II.—The
election called to-day to decide the question of bonding the town of West Point
for the purpose of securing fire protection has resulted in an overwheiming
vote in favor of the proposition.

TO ELECT PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, VA.,
August 11.—Mr. Charles P. Jones, rector
of the University, has called a meeting of
the Board of Visitors for to-day week,
useday, August 18th, at which time it
s thought a president of the institution
vill be chosen.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Aug. II.—
Great preparation is being made for the
annual camp meeting of the Adventists
at Screanerville, in Spotsylvanitz which
will begin August 22. It usually attracts

Mr. Ellyson in Pulaski. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PULASKI, VA., August 11.—Hon, J.
Taylor Ellysen, Democratic State chair-man, is in town on business.

PRIMARY IN HENRY COUNTY

Gravely Addresses the Democrats on Court Green and Peyton the Republicans.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) MARTINSVILLE, VA., August 11 .- The Democratic primary in Henry Saturday resulted in the nominations of D. S. Davis for treasurer, over W. H. Barker, by one hundred and forty-seven majority, and of George M. Turner for sheriff, over W. B. Eanes, by one hundred and six ma-

C. Stanley was nominated for commis-sioner on the Southside over Ed. Mitchell, by thirty-seven majority, yesterday was County Court day in Henry, and the crowd which makes Au-gust court the most celebrated of the year was out in full force, enjoying the glories of an institution, now passing into history.

The watermelon crop, usually so abundant, and much in evidence at this court, was short this time. There were only a few on hand.

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About 2 o'clock W. H. Gravely took the stand in the courthouse yard, and for about one hour zeve an account of his stewardship, and paid his respects to his opponents. Mr. Gravely's address was bold and manly, andhough a current of opposition in his audience was quite evi-dent, he made a fine impression upon the voting portion of his heavers. Whilst Mr. Gravely was speaking, the Republicang and negrees called loudly for William M. Peyton, escorted him into the hall in the basement of the courthouse and start-ed an opposition meeting.

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At the conclusion of Mr. Gravely's speech, Mr. Peyton came forth and occupled the stand, making his annual attack upon Democracy, and announcing himself a candidate for the House of Dele-

Mrs. W. H. Gravely was bitten Satur-Mrs. W. H. Gravely was bitten Saturday evening last by a moccasin snake, whilst walking about her yard. Antidotes nere promptly applied and a physician aummoned. The bits fortunately furned out to be a slight one, and Mrs. Gravely auffered no great inconvenience from it.

IME SAN JOSE SCALE

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

(II RILOTTESVILLE, VA., Aug. II.—

Mr. Samuel B. Woods, president of the white the germs do not exist, their belief is compelled by the fact that a rabbit innoculated with the germs became bald in six weeks' time.

It must be apparent to any person, therefore, that the only prevention of the germ-which act is successfully accomplished in one hundred per cent. of cases by the same germ which act is successfully accomplished in one hundred per cent. of cases by the saw a small apple tree encrusted with the saw a small apple tree encrusted with the saw a small apple tree encrusted with the scale, which had been killed by say or seven pupals of these beetles.

Nox. Season Mr. Woods hopes to be abla in the properties of the same remedy—Newbors in distance of the

Dr. Fraser Makes an Address on Education.

DR. DUNCAN TO COLUMBIA

Annual Reunion of the Hanover Troop Association at Ashland Park-Some Speeches by Distinguished Comrades-A Cotillon.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) County School Board met here to-day and with the county treasurer.

Resolutions of sorrow relative to the ity to have been well attended, and ers pertaining to the fall session were issed and agreed upon. ASHLAND GRADED SCHOOL.

Dr. Robert Fraser, of the Ogden Committee, was here yesterday and gave a most elaborate talk in the college lecture hall to a large audience on "Education." He drew many points on the benefits to be derived from a good education, and stimulated our people on the necessity of oil lending a helping hand in the line. The Town Board are endeavoring to build a new schoolhouse, a thing that is badly needed, owing to the large increase of pupils. Dr. Fraser spoke kindly of this object, and his words have already been of value to the town people.

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REV. DR. DUNCAN LEAVES.

Rev. Dr. James A. Duncan has been tendered and accepted a position with the Columbia College, of Columbia, S. C. He will devote his time to a movement to enarge and better the college. He will enter upon his duties in a few days.

Mr. J. A. Ball has arrived here with a corps of assistants from Maryland to arrange for the opening of the new cannery. Our people have about 115 acres of tomatoes planted for this enterprise, and prospects look quite bright for a fine crop.

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friends who were fortunate enough to be present.

Speeches were made by Comrades Geo. P. Haw, Captain John Lamb, B. W. Binford, Walter Sydnor and Hon. H. T. Wickham. Veteran Peter Leadbetter sang Dixie, much to the delight of the boys. The Southern Bell Telephone toll line is nearly completed to Ashland. The engineer of the company has been here end the line for the town has been mapped off. A regular up-to-date exchange will be maintained.

CLOSING COTILLON.

The last of a series of cotillons will be danced at the Henry Clay Inn on Friday night. These dances have been greatly enjoyed during the summer, and it is probable those in charge may yet

probable those in charge may ye ge to have several more during the

Copious rias have fainth in the sec-tion in the last few days, which have been of immorse value to our farmers. The long dry spell which preceded had well-nigh played havec with the crops. Now everything is bright and our people are again in good spirits.

PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE

Guests at Afton Thrown from a Buggy Dr. Cooper at Hebron Church. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

AFTON, VA., August 11 .- One of th the Afton House was the progressive eucher party given Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. John J. McHenry, of Louisville. For several hours this fascinating game held the attention of the many players. The ladies' first prize, a handsome hair comb, was won by Miss Lois Sykes, of Portsmouth; the second ladies' prize, a dainty little trinket basket, by Miss Rusha Mills, of Baltimore. The first gentleman's prize was won by Mr. John M. the Afton House was the progressive eutleman's prize was won by Mr. John M Goodloe, of Big Stone Gap, Va. The second by Mr. Lem. McHenry, of Louis-

second by Mr. Lem. McHenry, of Louisville.

The favors, lovely little bells, tied with
pink and blue ribbons, were distributed
by Miss Mamie Hunt, of Richmond.
Dainty refreehments were served to the
players after the game was over.

Mr. Robert Goodloe, of Kentucky, and
Miss Sykes, of Portsmouth, were thrown
from their seats while driving down the
mountain on Sunday afternoon. They
were not seriously injured. Several of
the rest of the party were quite badly
frightened.

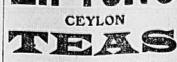
A "fox hunt" is on hand to-day, misty,
cloudy days being very favorable for this
exciting and fascinating sport.

Dr. George Cooper, of Richmond, left
for his home Monday. He has been
spending some time with Mr. D. MacGregor, in Nelson county. Dr. Cooper
prached an earnest and impressive sermon to a large congregation at Hebron
Tantist Church on Sunday. He was as-

prenented an earnest and impressive ser-mon to a large congregation at Hebron Baptist Church on Sunday. He was as-sisted by Dr. Allen Tupper, of Brooklyn, N. T. Hebron is still without a pas-tor, but the congregation will meet at an early date to call one. Dr. Tupper is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Hartwell Hawthorne.

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San Jose scale, and that after they are once well established it will not be necessary to spray for the scale.

VALLEY DISTRICT CONVENT'N Mrs. R. E. Byrd Entertains a Distin-

guished House Party. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WINCHESTER, VA., Aug. 11,-Henry

WINCHESTER, VA., Aug. II.—Henry Harrison Jones, ager seventeen years, was struck and killed by an electric car in Steelton, Pa., yesterday morning. He was brought for burial to this city, where his mother and a number of brothers and sisters reside. The Valley District Convention of the Christian Church will meet Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Antloch Church in Page county. The address of welcome will be by Rev. W. J. Dudley, and the response by Rev. W. J. Cocke, who is to leave early in September for Georgia, of which State he will become the evangeline Vallar, Gaughter of Maj. Vallar, of Kernstown, one of the most accomplished young ladles of this section, will soon go to Detroit, Mich, where she has accepted a position as clocutionist with the Lyric Concert Company.

Mrs. Richard E. Byrd is entertaining.

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Mrs. Richard E. Byrd is entertaining, as members of her house-party, quite a number of distinguished guests, including ex-Senator Charles J. Faulkner, Mrs. Sallye Faulkner, of Martinsburg, and Mrs. Dr. White, of Nash-ville, Tenn. This evening a reception is being held at the residence of Mr. Carnillus S. Baker, on Market Street, in honor of Miss Katherine Stokes, of Rock-ville, Md., and to-night another german will be held at Rouss' Hall by the young men of Winchester.

Sunday Miss Minnle McAstor, of Stephens City, slipped and fell the entire length of the stairway at her home. Sie was picked up unconscious, but is not seriously injured.

COLOR LINE DRAWN IN LABOR CIRCLES

(By Associated Press.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., August II.—
The color line has been drawn by a union labor organization here.
The Machinists' Union, of Newport News, the local branch of the International Association of Machinists, to-night voted to sever its affiliation with the Central Trades and Labor Council. The latter organization recently admitted representatives of negro labor unions to its membership despite the protests of the Machinists Union, which is the strongest and most influential labor body in the city. Other withdrawals from the Central Council may follow.

SECRETARY FENN RESIGNS

Retail Merchants to Have Fire Insurance of Their Own.

ance of Their Own.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE VA., Aug. 11.—Secretary
Bert S. Fenn, of the Roanoke Y. M. C.
A., has resigned to accept the general
secretaryship of the Nashville Y. M. C.
A. His resignation takes effect September 16th.

The Retail Merchants' Association of
the vity has decided to organize a mutual fire insurance association, and a
committee has been appointed to obtain
a charter.

Potomac Association. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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Judge C. E. Nicol, of Manassas, is the moderator of the association. Rev. F. P. Berkeley, of Middeburg, is secretary. The Hon, Henry St. George Tucker has been announced to address the meeting on the Southern Educational movement on one of the three days of the session.

Notice of Contest. CHARLOTTERVILLE, VA., Aug. 11.—Mr. William Garth has filed a notice of contest with the Hon. John B. Moon, the Democratic county chairman, against Mr. N. C. McGee, who was declared the nominee for treasurer in the recent county primary.

On the face of the returns, Mr. McGee defeated Mr. Garth by a majority of twenty-four votes.

PATRICK COUNTY TO HOLD CONVENTION

Montague and Aycock Expected at Confederate Reunion and Barbecue.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) STUART, VA., August 11.—The Demo-eratic County Committee met here to decide as to the method of brining out candidates for county and district offices. After considerable discussion it was decided to have a convention to be held at this place on Saturday, September 5th, to nominate all county and district officers, also a candidate for the House of Delegates. The candidates so far announced are for Treasurer, W. H. Waller and H. M. Moss; Sheriff, R. J. Woodwine; Commonwealth's Attorney, J. M. Hooker; House of Delegates, A. F. Mays and John T. Stovall. The senatorial primary will be held in this district on September ith. The candidates are—Fulton, of Grayson county, and Judge John R. Moore, of Patrick. Delegates to the county convention will be selected on the day of the primary. W. C. Hooker is the Republican candidate for treasurer in this county but no other Republicans have as yet announced themselves.

The election bids fair to be a very spirited one this fall. inate all county and district officers, also

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Aus. II.
Mr. Samuel B. Woods, president of the
Virginia Horticultural Society, has returned to the city from Washington,
where he went to procure a colony of
Asiaric lady bugs from the Department
of Agriculture. These little beetles are
the natural enemy of the San Jose scale,
breeding faster than the scale and devouring it eagerly as their sole article
of diet.

At the department grounds Mr. Woods
saw a small apple tree encrusted with
scale, which had been killed by six or
seven pupals of these beetles,
Next season Mr. Woods hopes to be able
to give a number of colonies away to persons in different parts of Albemarle and
Nelson, whose orchards are infested with
the scale. From the experiments of the
Department of Agriculture and from the
experience of the peach orchards of
Georgia, it is believed that the Asiatic
lade bugs are a complete remedy for the

MORTGAGE

Finances of the Hampton Roads Co. Straightened Out

CAPTURED AFTER 3 YEARS

A German Sailor Who Deserted His Ship Because of Bad Treatment is Released by the Local Courts. Police Base-Ball Team.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEWPORT NEWS, VA., August 11. The Hampton Roads Railway and Electric Company to-day filed in the clerk office of the Corporation Court a mortgage in favor of the Colonial Trust Com pany, of Philadelphia, on its real estate plant, lines, rolling stock, etc., for \$200,000 ssue of \$300,000 for the making of exten-

sions and improvements.

In establishing itself in the In establishing itself in the city and section the Hampton Roads Company has been at an enormous expense, and has as yet been handlcapped in various ways, so that its business has been small. On this account it was rumored some time ago that the affairs of the company were in bad shape, and that it was having trouble settling is accounts with the Vandegrift Construction Company, which is construction and temporarily constraints. nstructing and temporarily operating

It was announced several weeks ago that in order to extend the line to Oid Point and to make various improvements and extensions, the company would have

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ARRESTED FOR OLD CRIME.

of larceny, was recognized on the street and arrested yesterday by Sergeant Reyfense was committed, and had not been seen in this section until the sergean recognized him standing in the street

yesterday. The case will be tried in the Police Court to-morrow morning. Edward Everling, the sailor charged with deserting from the German steamship Plsa, was again released to-day by Justice Semmes, who held that he had been budly treated aboard the ship, and had a perfect right to desert. The representatives of the ship made a hard fight to get possession of the man, and it is believed that they want him on a more serious charge than that of desertion. When Everling was first arrested he was released by Judge Barham on a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that the mittimus upon which he was held was not properly drawn. Immediately after he was released he was rearrested, and yesterday afternoon was given a hearing. The German vice-consul claimed that the local courts had no right to go into the merits of the case; that the only point which had to be decided was whether or not Everling deserted from the ship.

ERRITISH STEAMER.

The British steamer Orlana, Captain Anderson, bound from Durban, Natal, South Africa, for Montreal, Canada, cleared to-day after undergoing repairs

South Africa, for honfeat, canada, cleared to-day after undergoing repairs and painting at the shippard and loading 30 tons of bunker coal here.

The police force has organized a baseball team, which will cross bats with the team recently organized by the street car conductors and motormen. The game will be pulled off within the next few weeks.

The case of Robert Fage, thas but Blue, who shot and killed another negro named Steven Mason, in Rocketts yesterday afternoon, was continued until Thursday in the Police Court this morning Page gave himself up last night, and claims that he shot Mason in self-defense.

BUCKINGHAM COURT

ocal Option Contest-Mr. Bonduran (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BUCKINGHAM, VA., August 11.-Ther MCKINGHAM, VA., August II.—There was a large turnout at Buckingham Court Monday, many attracted by the local option contested election case from the Marshall District. Judge Hall and Mr. Strode represented the contestants, and Mr. Edmund Hubard, the whickey men. The case did not come up on its merits, the court reserving his decision until next time, whether or no he had jurisdiction.

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The Legislative District Committee for the counties of Buckingham and Cumberland met and canvassed the eturns and returns. Why to the county are as a hemiline. This was proposing candidate, on the county of the county committee, the "viva voce" plan as first published by the County Committee, which was subsequently changed by the County Committee and not published and from which he appealed to State Democratic Committee, by its action in Richmond on August 1st.

The committee, by its action in Richmond on August 1st, decided that candidates for the Legislature must be nominated by primary and by "viva voce," vote. This order is mandatory therefore the election in this county for this and other irregularities is null and void.

In view of these facts, Mr. Bondurant





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having conformed to all requirements of the party, and election law and having appealed his case to the State Commit-tee before the primaries, will not retire from being a candidate, and for this, he should be sustained by all true Demo-crats, who favor upholding the true prin-ciples and party law of the Democratic party, in this section where Republican rule reigned so many years.

THE MECKLENBERG

This Splendid Hostelry Filled With

This Splendid Hosteiry Filled With Guests and Gayety.

(Special to The Timer-Dispatch.)

CHASE CITY, VA., August 11.—The fame of the Mecklenburg and its many attractive features is now becoming known to the public. Last week brought more guests than any since its opening, and the month of August promises to be filled with gayety and mertiment. There has been several additions to the number of charming young people, prominent smoug them being, Miss Marie Lavender, an attractive brunette, whose sweet manners, as well as beautiful contrality voice, has won for her many friends. She and Miss Vann, another of our charming young ladies, are seen much together, and make a very attractive picture. Miss Vann being a striking blonde.

Mr. and Mrs. Clowes' advent over Sunday gave to the guests a real musical treat. Their singing is always doubly enjoyed, as they seem to obtain as much listeners.

The euchre party on Saturday was one

LITERARY GERMAN

A Unique and Beautiful Event at Maple

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PULASKI, VA. Aug. 11.—Among the series of germans that have been given at this place this season was a "literary german." Friday avening.

Miss Grace Connor, of Chattanooga, Miss Grace Charles Lum, from Portsmouth, who may connor the Charles Charles Charles, With Mr. Lee Fitzhugh, "The Connor Charles, With Mr. Lee Fitzhugh, "The Connor Charles, With Mr. Lee Fitzhugh, "The Connor Charles, With Mr. Charles L. Johnson, "A Study in Seafet;" Miss Cor, and Fitzhugh, "The Four-Leaf Clover," Miss Alma Keneth, "The Four-Leaf Clover," Miss Miss Emma Peyton, "The Three Initials," with Mr. Charles L. Johnson, "A Study in Seafet;" Miss Emma Peyton, "The Three Initials," with Mr. Chyan Don, "The Sign of the Four," Miss Emma Peyton, "The Three Initials," with Mr. Chyan Don, "The Sign of the Four," Miss Emma Peyton, "Miss Margaret Watson with Mr. W. H. How, "Miss Alra Watson, "Audroy," with Mr. A. W. H. How, "Miss Margaret Watson with Mr. A. W. H. How, "Miss Margaret Watson with Mr. A. W. H. How, "Miss Margaret Watson with Mr. W. H. H. W. W. H. How, "Miss Margaret Watson with Mr. Miss Martice Miss White, of Abinadon, "Miss Hattie Bibband Acea and Noa;" Miss Hattie Bibband Acea and No (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., August II.—The right of way for the proposed diversion of Appomatiox Eliver has been secured, the last three pieces of property having been condemned and the award of commissioners confirmed. The committee reached a satisfactory agreement with Mr. R. W. Collier who owned nearly half of the entire right of way. It is now expécted that work on the diversion scheme will begin in a short time as soon as the United States engineers in charge get their plans perfected.

MASHED TO DEATH

BETWEEN TWO CARS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BANYILLE, VA., August II.—N. R. Popilin, a brakeman on the Southern Railway, was killed in that section of the city known as Dundee, early this morning. He was caught between two cars and mashed to death while engaged in shifting cars. It is supposed that the ars were brought together more for cibil than necessary. Both cars were more or less damaged by the collision.

The body was greatly mutilated.

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MANN LAW AFTER THEM

Proprietors of Virginia Beach Resorts Are Indicted.

VIOLATED SUNDAY LAW

Also Ran Slot Machines—Imprisonmen is Provided for Violation-Dissolution of Street Railway Combine Did Not Take Place.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., August 11.—The resort keepers at Virginia Beach are having and the laws against selling to minors portions of some of them. The grand jury the Gulf Stream Hotel, at Virginia Beach ginia Beach, both for wiolating the Sun-day law, W. W. Jones, near Virginia Beach, and A. C. Weaver, of the Rateigh, at the Beach, both for selling to minors, A. C. Weaver, of the Raleigh for running slot machines

CASE FELL THROUGH.

H. L. Fowler, charged with embezzling \$2 from J. R. White, his partner, was tried to-day. Counsel for the prosecution sought to prove that rowler was known in Jefferson, Tex., when he lived there as Goldberg, it was the intention apparently, to infinate that the charge of name and residence were the result of criminal conduct, but the court would not permit the inference to be drawn.

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John Knight, who ran away from Nor-folk because he has a constitutional dread-of law suits, was brought back from Bal-timore to-day held for the grand jury, on the charge of keeping \$1 of his firm's money. He skipped the ball furnished by his lawyer.

NEW STEAMER LINE.

The Virginia-Carolina Inland Steam-boat Company has purchased the steamer Guide, and put her on between this port and Elizabeth City. The concern will op-erate a regular tri-weekly schedule.

railway combine of the proporeties of the Williamses, of Richmond, and the Browns, of Baltimore, known as the Norport News Company, was not con-summated to-day according to announce-ment. The meeting at which the sepera-tion of the system was to have taken place was postponed one week.

Adeline Lindsay, a negro woman, em-ployed at a bagging factory, while pull-ing down a pile of bagging it fell and forced a knife which she was holding in

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Judge Portlock has refused hall to R. Brown, the negro preacher who is charged with criminally assaulting a small colored girl of unsound mind. Brown is pastor of a flock of Seventh-Day Adventists, and he went to Churchland to preach. It was while he was absent on this mission that the crime was committed.

Charles Ormsby, the one-armed swimmer, is the recipient of many encontiums for his gallant conduct at Ocean View, when he brought in four brothers, the had gotten beyond their depth.

A DISSENSION.

The Central Labor Union last night